IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Attorney Docket No. 13199US02

In the Application of:			Conf. No.:	9101
		T. Kolze et al.	Customer No.:	23446
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action mailed August 31, 2006, in the aboveidentified application. The response is timely because it is submitted within the period of reply ending November 30, 2006. In the Office Action, the Examiner rejected claims 18, 19, 25-27, and 31; objected to claims 20, 28-30, 32, and 33; and allowed claims 21-24 and 34-45.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 7.